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FOOD CONTROLLER PROHIBITS SALE OF LIGHT PASTRY

No More Teacakes, Muffins Or Crumpets; Tea Shops Badly Hit

London, April 18.—The food controller, Lord Devonport, has issued an order, effective Tuesday next, prohibiting thereafter the sale of light pastries, muffins, crumpets or tea cakes.

Cakes, buns, scones and biscuits can only be sold if they conform to the drastic regulation respecting the amount of wheaten flour and sugar used.

Tea shops which are so popular in London and elsewhere in England, will suffer severely by the new order.—Saskatoon Phoenix.

POULTRY NOTES.

(By Plymouth Rock.)

Poultry breeders should be getting ready for the season's hatch. That is, those who have not already made a start. The early bird gathers the worms, and the early pullet lays the winter eggs. I do not recommend incubators to people who hatch no more than four or five broods in a season, because the operations do not justify the outlay. These small breeders will do well to search the neighborhood for broody hens, whereas the larger operator will do better to invest in an incubator.

Incubators have disappointed many people, probably because they imagined they could sit down and wait until the machine presented them with a chicken for every egg. But the truth is that, in order to obtain a good hatch one needs to provide and maintain favorable conditions as regards temperature, moisture, etc., from the beginning, and to do that it is necessary to have some practice and to keep one's eyes open. The incubator should be placed where the air is fresh, but out of all draughts, in an even temperature, and free from vibration. The freshest eggs, containing the strongest germs, should be selected for artificial incubation. Stale eggs, containing weak germs, or those which have been sent by rail and had a shaking up, will stand a much better chance under a hen.

I have been asked questions about incubators, such as "Do they pay?" "Do they hatch as well as hen?" "Are the chickens as strong?" and so forth.

First of all, let me say I have never known any incubator hatch as well as a good hen. Nature still holds her own in this respect, though as a substitute a well-built incubator commands our respect. It will hatch eggs at any time, and instead of the mere baker's dozen it will cover 50 or 100 or even 400 eggs, according to the capacity and the price you pay for it.

Those who have plenty of eggs will do well to set eggs laid that day. Absolutely fresh eggs will produce the strongest chicks and they will hatch out 24 hours sooner than eggs that have been kept. All eggs intended for hatching should be laid end up and turned to the opposite end every day for the best results. All eggs sent by rail should be allowed to rest at least 24 hours before being placed under the hen or in the incubator.

CUPID'S RECRUITS IN UNITED STATES MUST ALSO SERVE

Washington, April 19.—Men of middle age who have married since a state of war against Germany was declared will not escape their obligation of military service under war department policy formally announced today. The department's statement follows:

"The war department announces that all men married since the outbreak of war will be treated upon the same basis as unmarried men insofar as their military obligations are concerned. It is desired that the utmost publicity be given by the press to this announcement."

The department was moved to take this step in order that all men should understand exactly what is contemplated in the organization of an army to fight Germany."—Bulletin.

L.O.O.F. Anniversary.

On Sunday 22nd April the anniversary service of the Irma Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was held in the Irma church. This was the best anniversary held since the lodge was inaugurated. About 40 brothers met in the hall and headed by the Irma band marched to church, where a great number of friends waited for them. The church was crowded, many having to stand. Some of the hymns were accompanied by the band and amongst the musical part of the program were quartettes tastefully sung by Messrs R.J. Tate, B. Stuart, P.J. Hardy and S. Cappell. Mrs. P.J. Hardy presiding at the organ. The service was conducted by the Rev. R.J. Merriam, who preached a splendid sermon taking for his subject the Fatherhood and the Brotherhood of man. After the service the members of the lodge again headed by the band marched back to the hall.

Village of Irma.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the village of Irma for the year 1917 has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the office of the secretary-treasurer of the village from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon on every day not a public holiday except Saturday (and on that day from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 12 o'clock noon) and that any ratepayer who desires to object to the assessment of himself or any other person must within 20 days after the date of this notice, lodge a complaint in writing with the Secretary of the village.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1917.—F.W. Watkinson Sec-Treas.

Church News.

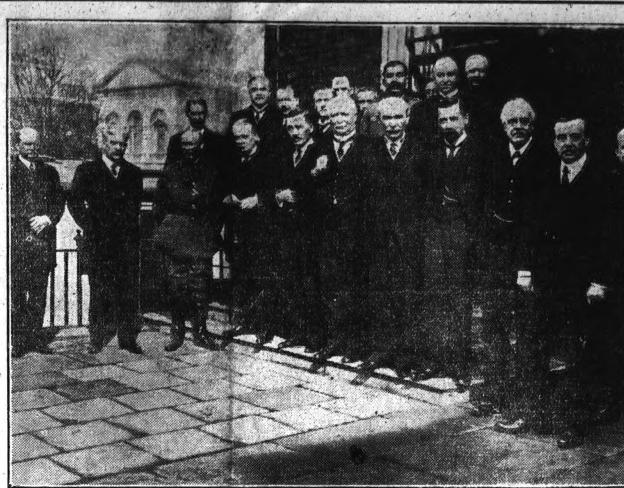
On Sunday, April 29th services will be conducted by the Rev. R.J. Merriam at Ordinance 11 o'clock Elliotts at 3:30, and Irma church 7:30. Special Sermon, The Sower. On Sunday, May 6th, services will be conducted by the Rev. R.J. Merriam at Sunny Brae 1:30, Clay Manor 3:30, Irma church 7:30.

Help the Boys at the Front.

Will any ladies who wish to help the boys at the front, by sewing for the Red Cross apply to Mrs. F. W. Watkinson, Irma.

Irma Ladies Aid.

The next meeting of the ladies Aid to be held in the Irma church on Wednesday, May 2nd at 3 p.m. will be the annual meeting and all members are requested to attend.



EMPIRE WAR CABINET.

The first meeting of the Imperial War Cabinet, which consisted of the members of the British Cabinet and representatives of the Dominions, Colonies and India, took place at the residence of Premier Lloyd-George at 10 Downing Street. Practically all of the Empire statesmen are pictured in this group.

Front Row, left to right—Walter Long, Sir Robert Borden, Lieut-Gen Smuts, Mr. Lloyd-George, Sir J. Weston, Mr. W.P. Massey, Hon. Robert Rogers, Sir George Perley, Arthur J. Balfour, Arthur Henderson. Back row, left to right—Bonar Law, Hon. J. Hazen, Sir Joseph Ward, Austen Chamberlain, Sir Edward Carson, Maharajah of Bikanir, Earl Curzon.

Local News

If your pump or gas engine won't work, try Charlie Lattner. 111uf

Mr. McBeth arrived in Irma last Monday with a carload of effects.

Neil McMillan is another Irma resident who is paying us a visit.

T.C. Wood has purchased the Lemaster place, southwest of town. Tom is busy seedling.

Fred Challies is putting in the Durand farm this year. Duncan McLean having moved to Manville.

Miss Ella Brickman is in Irma again staying with Mrs. A. E. Peterson.

Alfred Littlechild was hauling seed grain from J. Gulbraas' on Monday.

If you appreciate the Times, send in your subscription and help to keep it going.

Watch Irma grow. If rumor speaks the truth there will be quite a number of new buildings erected in the village in the near future.

The Irma Merchants have just received a car of salt. The order for this was placed over six months ago. Farmers should lay in their summer supply while there is plenty on hand.

Tom Wood is in Irma again, he has been busy in the Ordinance district digging wells for the Ordinance school district. W. Prosser and Mr. Ousterhaus, with good success in each case.

G. W. Mitchell is going to build a large residence on his farm as soon as seeding is finished. The Farmers Mutual Lbr. Co. is furnishing the material.

Good progress is being made with the Irma sidewalks and crossings, and when the next wet spell comes we hope to be able to get around the village without wading through mud.

The Farmers Mutual Lbr. Co. shipped a car of lumber to Fabian, Alta. the last week for J.G. Clark. Mr. Clark is erecting a dwelling, corral and other buildings.

One of our new members this week is Edmonds hotel. Mr. Edmonds in opening up his hotel has supplied a long list want in the village. We wish him success in his undertaking.

J. W. Sturt spent the week end in Irma.

N.M. Matheson has accepted a position with the Farmers mutual lbr. Co.

W. O. Eaton, the local Chevrolet man, is about to take charge in Irma.

Messrs. Barber and Barber are making preparations for the erection of a new livery barn in Irma.

Born on Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Peterson, a son.

Chas. Swales is visiting his old friends at Irma. Mr. Swales is always a welcome visitor in this district.

E.A. Body is erecting a dwelling on Sec. 3-45-9. The Farmers mutual lbr. Co. is supplying the material.

A member of the Provincial Legislature makes the supreme sacrifice, Joseph Emmett Stauffer, M.P.P. for Didsbury has been killed in action.

Contractor S.G. Simmons is erecting a dwelling on the Burrell farm. The Farmers mutual lbr. Co. is supplying the material.

Lundy Beschell, of Kinsella, has been wounded.

The Village council are having several thousand feet of badly needed sidewalk put in. The Farmers mutual lbr. Co. is supplying the material.

Contractor John Mildon is at present tearing down the old lumber shed of the Farmers mutual lbr. Co. and will shortly erect a new double deck shed 140 feet long in its place.

Jack Elliott landed in Halifax on the 20th and has gone to Ontario to visit his father who is ill. Jack is an old favorite among the Irma boys, left for the front with the first contingent and has seen considerable fighting, he has twice been in the hospital wounded. We hope his father will soon recover, and that before long we shall be able to welcome Jack's return to the West.

The Farmers Mutual Lbr. Co. is erecting a dwelling, corral and other buildings.

A meeting of the farmers of Cummings district was held on April 26th decided to erect a rural phone. G. H. Stone, the secretary, is seeking information re poles, etc., to erect the phone.

More Rural Phones.

The Canadian government is alive to the presence of the situation in regard to these men and the ends to which they are made available for conscription in the United States forces by being deprived of their Canadian citizenship. The Canadian government says well without them, and if the American authorities want to send them to the front it would be a scandal to the Canadian citizenship should stand in the way.

COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, May 1st, Early closing of Irma stores commences.

Friday, May 4th, meeting of the L.O.L. No. 2066 at Irma.

Saturday, May 5th, UFA meeting.

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Monday, May 7th, meeting of the Village of Irma Council.

Sunday, May 27th, U. F. A. Sunday.

Monday, May 14th at Irma, Village Court of Revision at 8 p.m.

Tuesday, July 31st, Irma fair.

In Casualty List.

A long list of casualties is published. This is the largest in any single issue since the war began. We have searched the list and are pleased to say we cannot find any Irma boys there. The following names from Waingright among the wounded: R. Fooks, E. V. Dahlgreen and W. H. Graham. We sincerely hope that their wounds are not of a serious nature.

Jarrow

Mr. McKenzie of the Alberta Pacific Elevator, is leaving for Manitoba.

We regret to report the death of Pte. H. V. Harding, the fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harding, of Mountain View farm, eight miles south of Jarrow. Victor, as he was popularly known, enlisted with the 18th, at Winnipeg and was with the Canadians in their magnificent charge upon the German positions. Word came that he was seriously wounded and admitted to No. 18 General Hospital on April 12th, and last Saturday morning a message came from Ottawa that he had passed away.

A memorial service was held in the Melbina School house on Sunday morning last, conducted by Rev. W. H. Day, of Jarrow, and Rev. R. T. Buchanan, of Edmonton.

There was a large attendance of friends to express their sympathy for the family.

Two other brothers, Frank and Russell, are still at the front.

COMPULSION FOR CANADIANS WHO FLED TO STATES

British Govt. May Make Arrangements For Conscription of Them

Ottawa, April 18.—It is hinted here in official circles that Canadians who during the last few months have gone to the United States in order to escape enforced military service, which was never proposed by the Canadian government may possibly find themselves in an awkward predicament now that the British government is about to make an arrangement with the United States, whereby all British subjects there will be conscripted and taken to England. It is said that the names and addresses of most of these men are known and the first to be selected may be those who have left Canada, as they come under the head of British subjects.—Saskatoon Phoenix.

Alberta Arbor Days.

According to the latest official proclamation there will be two Arbor days in Alberta. May 11 has been set aside as Arbor Day for that portion of the province north of the boundary of township 20, and the people immediately south will celebrate April 27 as their Arbor Day.

It is believed that the reason for this is that the difference in altitude makes a slight difference in climatic conditions and trees planted at the dates listed for each portion will grow more rapidly.

Editorialette.

"Scratch a Canadian and you'll find a savage," says a Hun paper. Some of our brave lads must have been beating Fritz at his own game.

Flying men are badly wanted in Canada just now. Some of those chaps who flew to the U.S. might come back and qualify.

German Chancellor says the people of that land are prepared for the worst. Most of the common people, though, hope it will be a weiner wurst.

Germans talk a lot about "where Hindenburg is going to launch his great offensive." If Hindenburg continues to foolishly advance in the direction of his hungry countrymen they might erect another wooden-headed statue in his honor.

Some public men in Canada are so deeply in love with returned soldiers that they'll do anything for them but give them jobs.

If some of the French-Canadians are so eager to fight conscription, why not give them a chance? Most people have begun to think they wouldn't fight anything.

Some Canadian papers say they are convinced the entry of women into politics will "purify" the latter. It might, if the women could be kept away from the male politicians.

If the French-Canadian tall wagons in Canada are everybody knows why they afraid the tall lassies don't bite with their tails; they are on the wrong end of the animal.

German newspapers accuse President Wilson of "playing recklessly with the interests of Germany." Sure! Everybody knows "recklessness" is Woody's middle name.

The arms of young Canadians who fled to the United States to escape the recruiting offices now wants to come back to Canada. The United States conscription officer is rather like chance on being able to keep out of the home guards in Canada than to face the possibility of being drafted into the United States forces for overseas. If the Canadian Government is alive to the presence of the situation in regard to these men and the ends to which they are made available for conscription in the United States forces by being deprived of their Canadian citizenship, the Canadian government should stand in the way.

Looking for Fall Of Jerusalem

Bloody History Surrounding the
Cradle of Christianity

News that a British army is within a few miles of Jerusalem has aroused hopes that within a very short time we may hear that the city has been taken from the Turks. Should these hopes be realized nothing would be more certain than that Jerusalem will never be handed back, but will remain what it ought always to have been—the most cherished possession of Christendom. Name "The City of Peace," ten cities have been more bloodshed. Titus took Jerusalem Barcochobas was its conqueror; it fell in turn to Julius Severus, Heracius, Omar, the Chazareans, Godfrey, Saladin and Frederick. Since the days of the crusades the world have never taken it but Jews, Pagans, Christians and Mohammedans have each had his term of triumph. As we write in the New York Tribune it serves: "With all the ancient cemeteries with which the city is surrounded excepted of their bones it would be difficult to tell whether Jew or Pagan, Christian or Mohammedan would be buried there." The bones of legions of races, creeds and peoples. Millions of men have died fighting; Jerusalem or within sight of the holy city.

It was old when the children Israel fled from Pharaoh, and many of them fell in the Promised Land and Jerusalem from the Canaanites. In the time of David the Jerkade's title to the land was established, and the city was won by a Duke 70, that a great army was sent against Jerusalem. Under King David 70, men marched to the gates of the city but so desperate a resistance was offered by the Jews that they abandoned the beginning of the siege there had only 32,000 within the walls, they would have beaten off the attacker had it not been for internal dissension. The soldiers of the army who were passing to die at that time the Feast of the Passover, nearly a million Jews thronged into the city. They were permitted to enter but not leave, and their presence quickly brought about a rebellion, forced the garrison to surrender, the end being hastened by faction fights.

How many perished by the sword or from hunger and disease in this numberless siege—probably well over half a million. Josephus says that through one of the city gates more than 115,000 bodies passed to their shallow grave without burial. The besiegers of Jerusalem gave more importance to the city of Jerusalem and in the time of Constantine the discovery of the Holy Sepulchre and the erection of the great Church of the Holy Sepulchre. The Christians helped to build the great temple for more than millions before the Jews. The pagans began, and from the most distant parts of Europe devout men and women unceasingly to Jerusalem to kiss the sacred soil and make offerings.

The early fathers of the Church feared that the reverence in which the city was held would result in idolatry, and many of our religious writings, and their influence were without effect, however, and it was through threats continued to visit Jerusalem until arrested by the armis of the Persian King, Khosrau, who captured the city in 614, when 90,000 people were slain.

Eight years later Heraclius, retook Jerusalem, but eight years afterwards the Moslems laid siege and became the masters of the place. In 670 Jerusalem was captured by the Saracens, and their domination was without effect, however, and it was through threats continued to visit Jerusalem until arrested by the armis of the Persian King, Khosrau, who captured the city in 614, when 90,000 people were slain.

Six million crusaders, it is estimated, took the field, and after incredible hardships, and bloodiest fighting, they captured Jerusalem, but though they committed atrocities that have hardly been duplicated between then and the present war. Hundreds of thousands, if not millions, were butchered and enslaved. In 1187 Saladin, most chivalrous and gallant of Moslems, captured the city. There have been many efforts since then to win back the Holy Land, but he has remained in the hands of the Turks. Of late years, of course, Christians and Jews have been recognized as the custodians of the most sacred relics in the city, but it has long been left to the Turks to be the possessors of shrines which mean little or nothing to them, a shame to Christianity. It appears as though this blot is about to be removed.

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Game Protection

In Manitoba

Splendid Work Accomplished by Department During the Past Year

We have just received a short interview with Mr. Charles Barber, Chief Game Guardian, for Manitoba. of the efforts being put forth by his department each succeeding year to secure a more perfect observance of the Game Laws of Manitoba, with the new legislation, and the results are good. A good supply of useful game animals, birds, for bearing animals etc. not found for ourselves but for future generations.

We also know that game birds and animals supply us with food and also attractive sport, while our fur animals yield a revenue to the province averaging several hundred thousand dollars annually. The value of the game to us do not realize is the value of our friends, the birds, and especially the little birds known as insectivorous or insect eating birds. The loss estimates in Canada last year to game birds, or other birds, due to insect pests from insects was in the neighborhood of \$125,000,000. These little birds not only delight our ears with their sweet music, our eyes with their beauty, but they feed their lives in never ceasing warfare on insect life.

If the little birds called a strike and refused to eat weed seeds and insects, with all their attendant benefits, but they need their lives in

the insectivorous birds, insect life would destroy all vegetation and ultimately all life. We must thank the government in the public effort now being made to save from destruction our fast disappearing wild life.

The cardinal points of the Manitoba Game Protection policy are stated by Mr. Barber as follows:

First. The setting aside of certain areas within the limits of the province not especially adapted to agriculture, Game Preserves; surveying and marking playgrounds, roads along the boundary lines, appointing a sufficient number of parkmen, whose duties shall be to patrol these lines, seeing that no person is permitted to trespass upon these preserves, and to prevent the use of firearms in these areas.

Second. The manufacture of paper now from 100 to 400 per cent higher than they were two years ago. Carbon papers, waxes for coated boards, and everything that goes into the cost of printed books or sales books are very high in price. Notwithstanding these facts, our modern and well equipped plant for a paper mill is being erected.

Third. Prices reasonably low. Before placing your next order, write us for samples and prices, or consult the proprietor of this paper mill, or make a sample of Carbon Paper Books, also O.K. Special Triplicate books. On these and our regular duplicate and triplicate Carbon Leaf Books, we have the largest and best commercial house from coast to coast. No order is too large or small to be looked after carefully.

Fifth. The enacting and enforcing of such laws relating to fur animals as will be in the interest of the province is consistent with the proper conservation of the various fur animals. Sixty inaugurating such a campaign against the use of trapping snares, traps, poisons, substances, etc., in their use being discontinued.

"I am glad to note," says Mr. Barber, "that the necessary steps to insure our game laws are generally recognized. This has not always been so. To quote from the report of the United States Federal Advisory Committee of the Migratory Bird Law, 'The American people are too fond of trapping and shooting birds, because their natural resources are fast disappearing they have been induced to extend even a limited degree of concession to these fast vanishing natural assets native to North America.'

Our migratory birds have been decreasing very noticeably year by year. The south has often been referred to as the winter home of the bird, but it is a matter of great satisfaction to all lovers of sport and true conservationists to learn that legislation has been passed which inaugurates a new area of game protection in Canada and the United States.

The work accomplished by this department during the past year has interested the public, and has secured the conviction of 52 persons found violating the provisions of the Manitoba Game Protection Act. This is more than twice as many convictions as were secured by this department during the two previous years. Our field men also investigated 135 other cases of reported violations of the Game Act in which they were not successful in collecting sufficient evidence to secure conviction. These cases included two persons found guilty of shooting more of the birds and attention of our field men than the cases in which they were successful in securing conviction.

Last September we sold, by auction, to the highest bidder, 1000000 pounds of shot gun and 24 rifles, and since that sale we have come into possession of 21 rifles and three shot guns, which were confiscated after conviction. The general public is becoming aware of the fact that there is such a thing as a Game Protection Act, and that something is being done to enforce its provisions.

"Did you read where a young woman walked into the Coplay Plaza dining room wearing a necklace of potatoes?"

"Yes, aren't those vulgar displays of wealth disgusting?"

Free Milk Record Forms

Cow Testing Will Save Time, Labor and Feed

Two five-year-old cows in a dairy herd where cow testing is practiced made two widely divergent records in 1916. One gave 6,616 pounds of milk and 204 pounds of milk per day, the other gave 4,600 pounds of milk and 175 pounds of fat. This means twenty-seven dollars difference in income between the two. The owner did not expect to find such a difference. Yet who but the most ignorant of the cows could know their possibilities? Is there as much difference as that between two cows in your herd? Cow testing will help you to know, and will help you to save time, labor, cost for feed and the best cows.

Keep these records and the best cows, on keep those that you can, will repay you handsomely for all you expend on them. A request to the Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa, for more record forms should be made to him.

What is the value of the boys without falls? The Kaisers may continue his hypocritical invocations of the Deity and Bethmann-Hollweg, an older but less pretentious hypocrite, but the average German can no longer pretend to credit their words. The two Kaisers and the Sultan, with slippery Ferdinand of Bulgaria and tricky Constantinople, will perish from the earth. In other words, in the absence of the insectivorous birds, insect life would destroy all vegetation and ultimately all life. We must thank the government in the public effort now being made to save from destruction our fast disappearing wild life.

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A "Regular Fellow"

Being One of the Boys Without Falling In Evil Ways

I don't know whether I should be tobacco if I were 21 again, but I am quite sure that I would not drink any alcoholic beverage—not even beer. Rest assured, however, I would not make myself a social nuisance. Instead, I think I should be a little like a man of my acquaintance, who neither drinks nor smokes. I am constantly before the fact in the most popular gathering places that are well patronized. Lahey is omnipresent. Vagrancy has almost been eliminated. Automobile accidents have been few, though fewer than ever. There has been immense dollar gain in the economic sense, and great betterment and saving to the community in the social and moral sense.

My year's experience without the saloon has proved absolutely to the people of Oregon that its banishment was a wise as well as a righteous act—Portland (Ore.) Telegram.

Oregon's First Dry Year

The Benefit Shown From a Year's Experience Without Saloons

During the first dry year Oregon has benefited in every way. There is more money in the banks. Credits are better sustained. Former saloon sites are given up by business men as undesirable to the welfare and serviceable to the welfare of the community. Fewer men are neglecting their families. The jails have a decreased population. The police force has supplied many of the drinking places that were well patronized. Lahey is omnipresent. Vagrancy has almost been eliminated. Automobile accidents have been few, though fewer than ever. There has been immense dollar gain in the economic sense, and great betterment and saving to the community in the social and moral sense.

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AN ONTARIO WITNESS.

Suffered from Rheumatism.

Waterloo, Ont.—"We use Dr. Pierce's medicine in our home and have always found them to be the very best. Some time ago my husband was taken sick with muscular rheumatism. He was very bad for four years—especially in a winter. He took several kinds of medicine and had not gotten one bit of relief. He began taking Dr. Pierce's medicine and found it to be a great help. He has been able to get up and walk around again. He has been able to go to work again. He is a plucky fellow, you know, and I am sure that he will be a regular fellow. And let me tell you this young man: When you are accepted as a regular fellow, you can say to all other regular fellows, 'You are a plucky fellow.' If you are strong enough and skillful enough, prove the quality of your courage by your physical prowess. If you are a plucky fellow, prove yourself in other ways. You are considered a hero in every way. You are a man of the world. You have the right to demonstrate that he is a regular fellow. And let me tell you this young man: When you are accepted as a regular fellow, you can say to all other regular fellows, 'You are a plucky fellow.' If you are strong enough and skillful enough, prove the quality of your courage by your physical prowess. If you are a plucky fellow, prove yourself in other ways. You are considered a hero in every way. You are a man of the world. You have the right to demonstrate that he is a regular fellow. And let me tell you this young man: When you are accepted as a regular fellow, you can say to all other regular fellows, 'You are a plucky fellow.'

The householder who buys a poorly nourished and carelessly marketed chicken or fowl secures a very inferior article of food, whereas the purchaser of a well finished and properly prepared, estate fed bird, obtains luxury.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, for the cure of rheumatism, is the best remedy for this disease. It consists of a golden egg, which is given to the patient in a well finished and properly prepared, estate fed bird, obtained from a reliable dealer.

It is a correspnding difference between grades of eggs that are offered at many stores. To obtain the best results, get Dr. Pierce's medicine and prepare it as directed. It dissolves impurities and carries them out, as it does all poisons, giving the Liver, Bowels, Kidneys and skin a well run-down, people the fullest measure of health and happiness.

If I were 21 again, I should want to be able to say how good Dr. Pierce's medicine is. I should want to say that he is a regular fellow. And let me tell you this young man: When you are accepted as a regular fellow, you can say to all other regular fellows, 'You are a plucky fellow.'

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In the report of the first matter, the commission finds: "That there was not any information found available which would indicate that contractors had not lived up to their specifications," and concludes:

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He—I hope you won't dear.

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THE NEW RUSSIA.

We live in an age of miracles, but the greatest miracle of all is that which has happened in Russia.

Silently, swiftly, a stupendous revolution has been accomplished. Deep-seated despotism has been despoiled; dynastic powers have withered in the night; treachery has been laid by the heels; and a great nation has advanced in a single day two hundred years in progress.

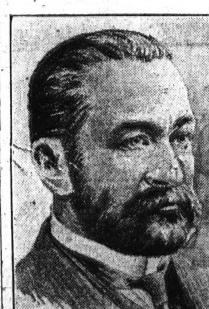
Today we look into the clear eyes of a New Russia. The Tsar and his direct line of succession have gone. The old regime has disappeared. The German spies who haunted the palaces and hid behind women's petticoats are either slain or lodged in gaol. The spirit of freedom, like some fresh cleansing wind, has swept away all the noxious vapours that they bred in their dark plottings. All the miserable crew of dastards and traitors and tyrants are plunged into an abiding oblivion, and Russia stretches out to us her hands that are at last free from manacles.

Born in a miraculous uprising of spiritual forces, New Russia with the clean hands and the steadfast eyes comes before mankind at the season of the world's rebirth this Easter tide and asks for our greetings. All the Allies are the stronger and the better for her presence. She has won for our common cause victory that exceeds in magnitude the surrender of many German army corps or even the destruction of the German fleet. She is the herald of the enemy's inevitable doom, and in the light of her countenance he sees the shadow of his own destruction. Hail Russia! Hail Freedom! Hail Victory!

From the Christian Commonwealth: There are different ways of approach to reality, and no one has a monopoly of right and truth. The misfortune is that so many think theirs is the only right way and that all the others are wrong. One thing we may say with confidence—that the long drawn-out controversy about Christ is one of the chief evidences of His greatness. He would not have divided men for nearly two thousand years if He had been nobody.

General Kuropatkin, it is reported, got eight million dollars from Berlin to let the Germans break through the Russian line; but gave his bribers the double cross, held the line solid, and sent the money to the Duma. There is nothing of the J. Wesley Allison about Kuropatkin. He does not seem to have even deducted a rake off.

When a man like von Bissing, the murderer of Edith Cavell dies, we cannot observe the ancient rule of saying nothing but good of the dead. Nothing good could be said of a man of his type. "Lie heavy on him, earth, for he laid many a heavy load on thee."



Lvoff, Premier in Crisis.

Prince George E. Lvoff, head of Russia's Provisional Government, is a tremendous worker and organizer of the Zemstvos (Union of Municipalities). He is aged 50, an aristocrat by birth, a democratic patriot by nature.

Schiller's Neutrality.

The following story which is going the rounds of the Continental papers, including even those of Austria, must make the Germans gnash their teeth. A German was a Dasee met recently in Schiller's house in Weimar. As they stood gazing reverently on the scene the German, swelling with pride, remarked to his fellow-vistor:

"So this is where our national poet, Schiller, lived."

"Pardon me," said the other; "not national, but International."

"How so?" asked the German, with surprise.

"Why, consider his works," the Dane replied. "He wrote 'Mary Stuart' for the English, 'The Maid of Orleans' for the French, 'Egmont' for the Dutch, 'William Tell' for the Swiss—"

"And what did he write for the Germans, pray?" broke in the other. Put came the Dane's answer:

"For the Germans he wrote 'The Robbers'."

A Matrimonial Question.

Johnnie (pointing to the person):

"Who's that, ma?"

"Hush, darling! That's the gentleman that married me."

Johnnie: "Then, if that's the gentleman that married you, what's pa do in our house?"

Convenient Fashion.



Mrs. Newgirl: "Don't you think these short skirts are very becoming?"

Mrs. Up-to-date: "Yes; and convenient, too! I used to be so annoyed by Montgomery grabbing hold of my skirt—now he can't reach it!"

The Tables Turned.

"I intended to call Bridget to bring a fresh bucket of water," remarked the professor's wife.

"You doubtless mean a bucket of fresh water," corrected the professor. "I wish you would pay some attention to your rhetoric; your mistakes are to our credit."

A few moments later the professor said, "My dear, that picture would show to better advantage if you were to hang it over the clock."

"Ah," she replied, quietly, "you doubtless mean if I were to hang it above the clock. If I were to hang it over the clock we couldn't tell the time."

Sound Reasoning.



Walter the Wizard: "I am a great believer in the magic number 7. Success has just 7 letters, you will notice."

Walter: "And how about 'Failure'?"

He Loved Her, Hal Hal.

He loved her, but was too shy to say so. She was trying to make him speak.

"Which dance do you like best—polka or waltzes, or what?"

"Oh, I like waltzes best; one especially."

"Indeed," she said, interestedly, "which one?"

"The 'Sweet Kiss' waltz."

"Oh," she said, "you often play it on the piano, I suppose?"

"No," he said.

"I can't play the piano, but," meaningly, "I'd love to play it on the mouth organ." And he did.

In Pacing Hobbies.

Algy: "You ought to have seen Miss—run the quiet scenes."

Gertie: "What did you do it in?"

Algy: "Now you see what I don't know you can't see."

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Dr. Meeklinson, graduate optician, Williamson building, Edmonton, makes regular visits to Irma, will be at Irma Drug store on Wednesday, May 2nd.

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Notice to Correspondents.

All items of news should reach the editor not later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday to be in time for insertion in the current issue. Write only on one side of paper, please.

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An Ad in The Times Will Find That Stray Animal for You.

Mr. Farmer: That stray animal you spent two or three days searching for, might soon have found its way home through a small ad. in the "Irma Times."

Tenders For School House.

Sealed Tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees, Jynx District No. 330, Jarow, Alta. at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer, up to noon April 30th, 1917, for the erection of a frame school building. Plans and Specifications See us about that house or barn. Phone Irma, and 71316 and 71378 Edmonton. Satisfaction Guaranteed

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Britain Awake Long Ago

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A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Hoped It Was Timely

Not long after a fire in a town near Boston some children in the Hub held a charity fair, by which \$20 was realized. This sum they forwarded to the rector of the church in the town where the fire had occurred, since he had been a prominent man in the relief work. Their letter was as follows:

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Outside Civilization's Rule

The End of the House of Hohenzollern Is Clearly in Sight
In the interests of the German state and people, it is necessary that some other than a Hohenzollern should be the recognized head. The House of Hohenzollern has a dark record of crimes against the public peace, against the rights and freedom of other states. Its plots are too deep, too far-reaching, too dangerous to be longer put up with. It sought to place a Hohenzollern upon the throne of Spain; it did manage to do this, bringing about the throes of Greece, Bulgaria and Roumania. The civilized and peaceful nations of the world have other and more profitable occupations than watching over the misdeeds of the Hohenzollerns, and guarding themselves against deadly pencils from that quarter. And the immutable, inexplicable will fervently hope, the last imperial representative of the house, perishes in that doom decreed against Napoleon 102 years ago he entered against him. The Hohenzollerns are outside civilization's pale.—From the New York Times.

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Crimes of Germany

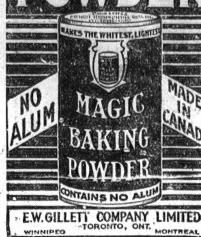
Can Never Live Down Disgrace of Her Art

The history of the war may be forgotten, the terrible stories told by the commissions that investigated the crimes committed in Belgium may pass from memory, but the story of Germany's crimes will live forever in the minds and carbons of the artists who have depicted them.

Germany never can live down the disgrace of her deeds; for these great cartons have found permanent places in the art galleries of Europe. They will hang there as a constant reminder of the nation that emerged a barbarian through its thin veil of civilization. As long as the great galleries stand, Germany must face the world and say, "Can they ever again lead their kultur?"

And, while artists of Holland and the United States, as well as those of the entire countries, are picturing the horrors of war in their art, the German no great artist has arisen to prevent a pictorial record for the Kaiser. This is one phase of the war in which Germany has no defense. And the punishment will continue longer than the lives of those who perpetrated the horrible crimes.—From the Ottawa Free Press.

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Interesting Reminiscences of a Veteran Passenger Official

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In Solving a Queen

A very candid mother admits that the most difficult thing she ever attempted was to ask her daughter the morning after her commencement if she had solved the queen's dishes.

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—New York Sun.

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She—Well, I had to give them some reason.

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Sunday Outstandings

A preacher whose name has not yet been reported to have described the bad place in this graphic fashion:

"Friends," he said, "you've seen molten iron running out of a furnace, haven't you? It comes out hot, sizzling and hissing. Well, they use that stuff for ice cream in Hades."

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Democrat Signs

Of the Times

German Chancellor Can See Which Way the Wind Is Veering

Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg has had some dramatic experience about the Russian revolution which he told the Reichstag that after the war the people would be granted all sorts of freedom and co-operation in the administration of the empire.

"To the statesmen," he declared, "it was a received sign of the times. There are some exceedingly plain signs stuck up for statesmen of the breed of Kaiser William, Kaiser Ferdinand, King Constantine, and a few more to come."

The German chancellor's speech may be an attempt to cover over, but the people, once awakened, will not be satisfied with promises of what may happen after the war.

Their empty stomach demands something immediate and nourishing. When they hear what the Russian people have done, not to end the war, but to prosecute it with greater vigor than ever, they will demand a hard rule; they may decide to take the same steps the people of Russia have taken, to rid themselves of a burden too heavy to carry.—From the Toronto World.

To Raise Serbian Regiment

Recruiting Campaign Throughout the Dominion for Serbians

Something new in Canadian military circles will be organized at Camp Suisse, the central training camp for New Brunswick, this summer if plans now announced work out successfully.

The military authorities have decided to have a recruiting campaign throughout the Dominion for Serbians, and it is anticipated that from 1,000 to 1,500 men of this race will be enlisted during the spring and summer of 1917. All the recruits signed up there will be sent direct to the front to receive their military training.

Although they will be recruited by the Canadian authorities, the Serbs have been battle members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, and will be sent forward to aid their fellow countrymen in the task of redeeming their native country from the Bulgarian invaders.

Canada Has Own Hospital Ship

Canada now has its own hospital ship to take back discharged wounded soldiers. Colonel Foster, who is now in charge of the Medical Services in England, has arranged with the Canadian Admiralty for a ship which is to be in continuous service.

Major Donald, for a year member of the Canadian Medical Board in London, will have charge of the ship, with seven Canadian Army Medical officers and several nurses under him.

A Pill That Proves Its Value

"Those who stand by their strength in Pancreatic's Vegetable Pills, because they serve to maintain the healthful action of the stomach and the liver, are regular users of the pills," says Mr. McPherson.

"Well, I ought to, sir. We've just moved, and my husband has been laying the carpets."—Answers.

Good Reason to Know

"Do you know the nature of an attack, madam?"

"Well, I ought to, sir. We've just moved, and my husband has been laying the carpets."—Answers.

IMPURE BLOOD

IN THE SPRING

The Passing of Winter Leaves People Weak and Depressed

As winter passes away it leaves many people feeling weak, depressed and listless. The body lacks vital force and energy which pure blood alone can give.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are an all-year-round blood builder and nerve tonic, but they are particularly valuable in the spring. These drops help to make new, rich, red blood. Returning strength commences with their use and the vigor and quickness of good health quickly follows.

There is just one cure for lack of blood and that is more blood. Blood is the material from which blood is made, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills help to make new, rich, red blood. Returning strength commences with their use and the vigor and quickness of good health follows.

If you are pale and sallow, if you feel tired, breathless after slight exertion, if you have headaches or backaches, if you are irritable and nervous, if your joints ache, if your appetites fails and food does not refresh you, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will make you well and strong. To build up the blood is the special purpose of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and that is why they are the best spring medicine. If you feel the grip of winter this season, give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial and you will rejoice in new health, new strength and new energy. Do not let the tryer of a summer to come, and you will feel strong and alert. Build yourself up now with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—the pills that strengthen.

Ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and do not keep these pills.

Your dealer does not keep these pills.

They will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Democrat Signs

Of the Times

German Chancellor Can See Which Way the Wind Is Veering

Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg has had some dramatic experience about the Russian revolution which he told the Reichstag that after the war the people would be granted all sorts of freedom and co-operation in the administration of the empire.

"To the statesmen," he declared, "it was a received sign of the times. There are some exceedingly plain signs stuck up for statesmen of the breed of Kaiser William, Kaiser Ferdinand, King Constantine, and a few more to come."

The German chancellor's speech may be an attempt to cover over, but the people, once awakened, will not be satisfied with promises of what may happen after the war.

Their empty stomach demands something immediate and nourishing. When they hear what the Russian people have done, not to end the war, but to prosecute it with greater vigor than ever, they will demand a hard rule; they may decide to take the same steps the people of Russia have taken, to rid themselves of a burden too heavy to carry.—From the Toronto World.

The First Visible Sign of the Democratisation of all the World

One must go back at least to 1848, when all Europe was seething in revolution, to parallel the thrill that this year's Russian revolution will bring to the world.

It is the first visible sign of that democratization of all the world which will come if civilization is to progress. The world-wide bloodshed of this unspeakable world-war. This spectacle of a nation rising to free itself from mediævalism, with a foreign foe at the door, must quicken every one's faith in progress.

And, as the Russian revolution proved this, so did that of 1848, and we are to partake of the fruits of that revolution.

The world will appreciate a desire for freedom—the last word in crushing, autocratic domination of an aspiring, liberty-seeking people.

The worst of it, from the point of view of the Conservative, is to learn that, in his eyes, the best of these democratic ideas get abroad, there is no telling what they will achieve or where they will stop. The French revolution proved this, and so did that of 1848, and we are to partake of the fruits of that revolution.

There is no man anywhere who desires world peace, a world free from autocracy, and a man of democratic power, who does not read of the fall of the czar, breathes anew, and say: "The Kaiser next!"—From the New York Evening Post.

NORTHERN GROWN... SEEDS Of Stronger Vitality

Rennie's Derby Swede Turnip, greatest yielder 4 ozs. 20c.

1-2 lb. 37c, lb. 70c.

Rennie's Jumbo Sugar Beet, best cattle feeder 4 ozs. 15c.

1-2 lb. 35c.

Macmillan White Intermediate Field Carrot, for stock 4 ozs. 45c.

1-2 lb. 80c.

Improved Red Carrot, for table or stock Pkg. 5c. oz. 25c.

4 ozs. 65c, lb. 120c.

Improved Ninety Day Tomato, best early Pkg. 10c. 1-2 oz. 30c. oz. 50c.

Improved Beefsteak Tomato, enormous fruit, Pkg. 10c. 1-2 oz. 35c.

XXX Scarlet Oval Radish, tender, crisp Pkg. 10c. 1-2 oz. 20c. oz. 50c.

Hodson's Long Pod Butter Wax Bush Beans 4 ozs. 15c.

lb. 5c. 5 lbs. 22.5c.

Worldbeater Cabbage, hard heads, very large, Pkg. 5c. oz. 30c.

4 ozs. 35c, lb. 75c.

XXX Snowball Cauliflower (highest grade) Pkg. 25c.

1-2 lb. \$1.00.

London Long Green Cucumber. Pkg. 5c. oz. 15c. 40c. lb. \$1.25.

May King Lettuce, favorite butter head, Pkg. 5c. oz. 20c. 4 ozs. 60c.

Citron for Preserves, red seeded, great cropper Pkg. 5c. oz. 15c. 40c.

XXX Golden Bartana Table Corn, early Pkg. 10c. oz. 35c.

5 lbs. \$1.00.

Early Market Sweet Table Corn, big ears Pkg. 10c. lb. 35c.

5 lbs. \$1.50.

London Long Green Cucumber. Pkg. 5c. oz. 15c. 40c. lb. \$1.25.

May King Lettuce, favorite butter head, Pkg. 5c. oz. 20c. 4 ozs. 60c.

Citron for Preserves, red seeded, great cropper Pkg. 5c. oz. 15c. 40c.

XXX Connecticut Yellow Globe Onion (black seed) Pkg. 10c. oz. 25c.

5 ozs. 45c, 1-2 oz. 15c.

Yellow Dutch Onion Sets, select lb. 35c. 5 lbs. \$1.70.

Intermediate Parsnip, half long, fine root, Pkg. 5c. oz. 15c. 40c. lb. 35c.

XXX Earliest Table Marrow Peas, 4 ozs. 15c. lb. 40c. 5 lbs. \$1.90.

Giant Cracking Asters, Crimson, Pink, White or Mixed Pkg. 10c.

XXX Exhibition Mixture Pansy, huge blooms Pkg. 25c.

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